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TITLE OF INVENTION: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR WRITING DATA FROM A STORAGE MEANS TO A MEMORY MODULE IN A SOLID

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